

## PATENT AF RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 2834

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

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Title:

"ROTOR YOKE HAVING A RING-LIKE INDUCTOR FORMING

MEMBER FOR AN ELECTRIC MACHINE ROTOR"

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER RULE 116 AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Communication is filed, along with an RCE, in response to the Advisory action dated April 18, 2003 and the Office action dated December 9, 2002. The 3 month period of time for responding to the Office Action expired on March 9, 2003. Accordingly, applicant respectfully requests and petitions that the response date be extended, for 3 months, to June 9, 2003. The \$930 extension of time fee is enclosed along with \$750 fee for the RCE.

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